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BOOK REVIEW

The poignant story of Carol Burnett's life, as she has told it in her memoir, "ONE MORE TIME", will be reviewed by Barbara Todd on Sun., Feb.8, and Wed., Feb. 11, at 2:30.

Carol Burnett, successful actress and television star, felt the need to write about her growing-up and wanted to share her feelings with her family and with the public. She spent three years writing this book and termed it "the hardest thing I've ever done."

Come and hear this heart-wrenching story by a remarkable woman.

ELDERHOSTELS

A slide program on "ELDERHOSTELS" will be presented by Sol Newman on Tues., Jan. 6, at 11:30 and 7:30.

Mr. Newman, a Chicagoan, is a retired engineer and President of the Chicago North Chapter of the State Elderhostel Alumni Association. His enthusiastic lecture will inspire everyone to take advantage of this unique learning experience.

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday	9:00 - 9:00
Friday	9:00 - 6:00
Saturday	9:00 - 5:00
Sunday	1:00 - 5:00

The Library will be closed Wednesday, Dec. 24, and Thursday, Dec. 25, for Christmas, and on Sundays Dec. 21 and Dec. 28. The Library will close at 5:00 pm Wed., Dec. 31, and will be closed all day Thursday, Jan.1.

HOLIDAY TRAVELOGUES

A Holiday Travelogue, featuring "THE NORDIC DANCERS OF CHICAGO", will be presented on Tues., Dec. 9, at 7:30. This Scandinavian group has been performing all over the Midwest since 1973 and is composed of people from 19 to 50 years old. The group will perform native dances in authentic folk costumes. Travel films on Scandinavia will also be included at 7:30, as well as refreshments. The same films will be shown at 11:30, and free coffee will be served.

In January, the travelogue will feature the Exeter Cathedral in England and the Washington Cathedral in Washington, D.C.

In February, Finland and Siberia will be featured. Please join us for these fine programs.

ADULT FILM SERIES

"THE COLOR PURPLE", the film adaptation of Alice Walker's Pulitzer Prize-winning novel, will be shown on Mon, Jan. 12. The film features Whoopi Goldberg and Chicago talk-show host Oprah Winfrey.

"CROCODILE DUNDEE", starring Australian Paul Hogan, will be shown on Mon., Feb. 17. Don't miss these two special films!

The documentary film series "HISTORY OF THE MOVIES" will continue on the 1st Tuesday of each month with "The Eagle," "Fall of Babylon," and "Hoo Doo Ann." Other short films will complete the programs.

A variety of short films will be shown on 3rd and 4th Tuesdays at 11:30. Coffee is served at all lunchtime film showings on Tuesdays, and patrons are invited to bring their lunch.

Please consult the Calendar on Page 2 for dates and times of all films.

CHILDREN'S HIGHLIGHTS

The Winter sessions of children's classes will begin January 5, and registration will be held Mon., Dec. 15.

LIBRARY PLAYTIME FOR 2½ YEAR OLDS & PARENTS
January 8 through February 27
Thurs. & Fri. . . . . 10:00 am
Class limit - 15 and 15 parents

PRE-SCHOOL STORY HOUR
January 5 through February 27
Please choose one of the following times for children ages 3 - Kindergarten:

Monday	1:00 pm
Tuesday	10:00 am
Wednesday	10:00 am
Thursday	7:00 pm

Class limit - 40

STORIES AND STUFF
January 5 through February 23
Grades 1-2 . . . Monday 7:00 pm
Class limit - 10

ARTS AND CRAFTS
January 5 through February 27

Grades 1-2	Monday 4:00 pm
Grades 3-6	Friday 4:00 pm

Class limit - 15

CREATIVE WRITING
January 7 through February 26

Grades 2-6	Wednesday 4:00 pm
	or Thursday 4:00 pm

TEAM UP FOR GOOD READING !

"Team Up for Good Reading," a school-year-long reading program for first through sixth graders, is holding registration now through Dec. 29 at the Children's Desk.

Each reader is placed on a team representing a sport. Scoring for books read will begin on Jan. 3, 1987. The winning team and individual high readers will be given a party after the contest ends in May 2, 1987.

CHILDREN'S HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

A special children's program of holiday music will be presented by Peg Lehman, folk-singer, on Fri., Dec. 26 at 2:00 in the Children's Room. Children and their parents are invited to attend.

A special children's film, "CARE BEARS," will be shown on Sat., Jan. 3., at 10:00 and 2:00.

ADULT PROGRAM CALENDAR

DECEMBER

Tues. 2. . .	Film - HISTORY OF MOVIES	11:30
Fri. 5. . . .	Book Discussion Group.	10:00
Tues. 9. . .	HOLIDAY TRAVELOGUE	11:30 & 7:30
Tues. 16. . .	Lunchtime Movies	11:30

JANUARY

Tues. 6. . .	Film - HISTORY OF MOVIES	11:30
Tues. 6. . .	ELDERHOSTELS	11:30 & 7:30
Fri. 9. . . .	Book Discussion Group.	10:00
Mon. 12 . .	Film - COLOR PURPLE	2:30 & 7:30
Tues. 13. . .	Travelogue - CATHEDRALS . .	11:30 & 7:30
Tues. 20. . .	Lunchtime Movies	11:30
Tues. 27. . .	Lunchtime Movies	11:30

FEBRUARY

Tues. 3 . . .	Film - HISTORY OF MOVIES.	11:30
Thurs. 5. . .	REAL ESTATE INVESTING	7:30
Sun. 8	BOOK REVIEW-"ONE MORE TIME".	2:30
Tues. 10. . .	Travelogue-FINLAND&SIBERIA	11:30&7:30
Wed. 11 . . .	BOOK REVIEW-"ONE MORE TIME".	2:30
Fri. 13. . . .	Book Discussion Group	10:00
Mon. 16 . . .	Film - CROCODILE DUNDEE. . . .	2:30 & 7:30
Tues. 17. . .	Lunchtime Movies	11:30
Tues. 24. . .	Lunchtime Movies	11:30

The following groups meet regularly at the library:

Make Today Count - **1st Monday of every month**

Quilters - **1st & 3rd Wednesday of every month**

Agorophabia Group - **3rd Tuesday of every month**

Toastmasters - **2nd & 4th Wednesday of every month (see note below)**

ATTENTION - DATE CHANGES !

The Book Discussion Group will meet on the 1st Friday in December - Dec. 5th at 10:00. The group will meet on the usual 2nd Friday morning in January and February. Please join us!

In December only, the Toastmasters will meet on the 2nd and 3rd Wednesdays at 7:30. The group welcomes new members.

No films will be shown on Tuesday, Dec. 23, or Tuesday, Dec. 30.

FROM THE LIBRARIAN'S DESK . . .

The Morton Grove Public Library successfully completed the first stage of it's automation with a smooth transfer to the computerized circulation system on October 17. Planning began over five years ago on the project, and the library staff has worked long and hard to learn the system and get book and patron records into the computer. All check-out and financial transactions are now on the computer, and the staff is currently in the process of transferring reserves to the computer.

The benefits of the computerized system are many, including: more accurate circulation statistics enabling library staff to determine which areas or library materials receive the most use; vastly improved reserve book and overdue notice procedures; overall increase in efficiency of all circulation desk activities.

The next step in the automation project is the replacement of the card catalog with computer catalog terminals. The computer catalog will be just as easy to use as the card catalog, but will provide library users with much more information. In addition to telling whether the item you're interested in is in the library or checked out, and when it's due back, the catalog will include all books and other materials in the Skokie, Deerfield, and Waukegan libraries, in addition to our own library. The computer catalog will also allow you to search the library's holdings in ways never before possible.

Because of the computerized system, all library patrons need new library cards. There is no longer a one-week wait for cards; they now take only a couple of minutes to make up. Please check at the circulation desk to apply for your new, plastic library card.

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As the holidays approach, the entire staff would like to wish all of you and your families a very happy holiday season. We hope that you have used your library in 1986 and we hope to provide even better service in 1987 !

Paul Feil
Executive Librarian

ART EXHIBITS

The beautiful photography of Diane Rogness of Evanston is currently on display in the Baxter Room. Photography is a hobby with Ms. Rogness and her local shots of Chicago and the suburbs are a delight to see.

In January, the work of Thelma and Leonard Baer will be exhibited. A combination of oils, watercolors, collages, and block prints will be shown.

Leonard Baer has been a commercial artist for 38 years and is a teacher at the Skokie Art Guild. Thelma Baer has exhibited her work at the Chicago Art Institute's Art Rental and Sales Gallery for the past 15 years. The Baers are Morton Grove residents.

REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS

If you have $500, you can invest in real estate and make money, as Ron Sakai will tell you in his lecture, "INVESTING IN REAL ESTATE" on Thursday, Feb. 5, at 7:30.

Mr. Sakai, who is from McCarthy & Assoc., will explain how investments can be made in mutual funds, real estate investment trusts, and real estate limited partnerships. Join us for an informative evening!

SERVICES FOR THE BLIND AND PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED

The Morton Grove Public Library provides books and magazines on audiocassettes and records for any visually impaired resident of Morton Grove who cannot read printed materials. The Library also carries an extensive collection of large-type books and issues of Reader's Digest in large type.

The Library provides a shut-in service for people who are unable to get books and materials for themselves from the Library. For these services, please call Barbara Todd at the Library, 965-4220.

Morton Grove residents who are totally or partially deaf may borrow materials and helpful equipment from the Skokie Public Library, including closed caption videocassettes and the Kurzweil Reading Machine. Please call Liene Sorenson at the Skokie Library, 673-7774, ext. 39, for information on this service.

NEW AT THE LIBRARY . . . . .

VIDEOCASSETTES

Bedknobs and Broomsticks
Lucas
Goonies
Down and Out in Beverly Hills
Out of Africa
Fodor's Hawaii
Berlitz French

COMPACT DISCS

Parsifal - Wagner
Time Warp - Cincinnati Pops
All the Great Love Songs - Commodores
Stranger in Town - Bob Seger
Piano Concertos - Grieg & Schumann

AUDIOCASSETTES

The Horowitz Concertos - 1978/79
Missa Solemnis - Beethoven
In Search of Excellence
How to Operate the IBM Personal Computer
How to Operate the Apple //e

STUDENTS ! Use these reference aids for term papers and reports:

Life Sciences on File
Maps on File
Designs on File
Personal Forms on File

NEW BOOKS IN THE LIBRARY

FICTION

Boyne, Walter - *The Wild Blue*
Burgess, Anthony - *The Pianoplayers*
Cavanaugh, Arthur - *The Faithful*
Clavell, James - *Whirlwind*
Drury, Allen - *Pentagon*
Heffernan, William - *Acts of Contrition*
Hoving, Thomas - *Masterpiece*
James, P.D. - *A Taste for Death*
McCarthy, Abigail - *One Woman Lost*
Wallach, Anne - *Private Scores*
White, Stuart - *Operation Raven*

NON-FICTION

Adler, Bill - *The Cosby Wit*
Baker, Carroll - *To Africa With Love*
Bonner, Elena - *Alone Together; The Sakharovs*
Ernie's War: Best of Ernie Pyle's World War II dispatches
Hadamuscin, John - *The Holidays: Menus for Elegant Entertaining*
Heyerdahl, Thor - *The Maldive Mystery*
Hirsch, Yale - *Don't Sell Stocks on Monday*
Litwak, Mark - *Reel Power: Struggle for Influence and Success in the New Hollywood*
Love, John - *McDonald's: Behind the Arches*
Morita, Akio - *Made in Japan: Sony*
Powell, Jim - *Risk, Ruin & Riches: Big-Time Real Estate*
Scott, Lucy - *Time Out for Motherhood*
Turner, Tina - *I, Tina*
Wallace, Chris - *First Lady: Portrait of Nancy Reagan*

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